

## Homeland Security Department

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agency contact point shall acknowledge receipt within three calendar days after making the initial review determination and advise the offeror of the general timeframe for completing the evaluation.

(c) If the proposal does not meet the requirements of (FAR) 48 CFR 15.606–1(a), the agency contact point shall return the proposal within three calendar days after making the determination. The offeror shall be informed, in writing, of the reasons for returning the proposal.

### 3015.606–2 Evaluation.

(a) Comprehensive evaluations should be completed within sixty calendar days after making the initial review determination. If additional time is needed, then the agency contact point shall advise the offeror accordingly and provide a new evaluation completion date. The evaluating office shall neither reproduce nor disseminate the proposal to other offices without the consent of the contracting office from which the proposal was received for evaluation. If the evaluating office requires additional information from the offeror, the evaluator shall convey this request to the responsible contracting office. The evaluator shall not directly contact the proposal originator.

(b) If the evaluators recommend accepting the proposal, the responsible contracting officer shall ensure compliance with all of the requirements of (FAR) 48 CFR 15.607.

## PART 3016—TYPES OF CONTRACTS

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### Subpart 3016.1—Selecting Contract Types

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### 3016.170 Contracts with Lead System Integrators.

The contracting officer should negotiate the most appropriate contract type and fee structure based on risks inherent in the work to be performed, in accordance with (FAR) 48 CFR 16.103(a). Contract type and fee structure should be commensurate with the work to be performed and the risks assumed. Worthwhile existing guidance on contract type selection, pricing, and fee structures, such as exists in Vol. I, Ch. 4 of the Contract Reference Pricing Guides [[http://www.acq.osd.mil/dpap/cpsf/docs/contract\\_pricing\\_finance\\_guide/vol4\\_ch1.pdf](http://www.acq.osd.mil/dpap/cpsf/docs/contract_pricing_finance_guide/vol4_ch1.pdf)] can be consulted to determine the appropriate contract type and fee structure for use in varied contracts with lead system integrators in the production, fielding and sustainment of complex systems.

### Subpart 3016.2—Fixed-Price Contracts

### 3016.203 Fixed price contracts with economic price adjustments.

### 3016.203–4 Contract clauses.

(d)(2) Any clause using this method shall be prepared and approved by the contracting officer.

### 3016.203–470 Solicitation provision.

The contracting officer shall insert a provision substantially the same as